

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE**

In re:

FTX TRADING LTD., *et al.*,¹

Debtors.

Chapter 11

Case No. 22-11068 (JTD)

(Jointly Administered)

Ref. No. 279

CERTIFICATION OF COUNSEL

I, Matthew R. Pierce, counsel to the above-captioned debtors and debtors-in-possession (the “Debtors”), hereby certify as follows to the best of my knowledge, information and belief:

1. On December 21, 2022, the Debtors filed with the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware (the “Court”) the *Debtors’ Application for Entry of an Order Authorizing Employment and Retention of Kroll Restructuring Administration LLC as Administrative Advisor Nunc Pro Tunc to the Petition Date* [D.I. 279] (the “Application”).

2. As of the date hereof, no formal objection or other responses to the Application have been filed or served on the Debtors. The Debtors received informal comments (the “Informal Comments”) to the proposed form of order filed with the Application from the United States Trustee (the “U.S. Trustee”) and the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors (the “Committee”).

3. To resolve the Informal Comments, the Debtors have revised the proposed form of order (the “Revised Order”), a copy of which is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**. In addition, Kroll Restructuring Administration LLC intends to file a supplemental declaration relating to the

¹ The last four digits of FTX Trading Ltd.’s and Alameda Research LLC’s tax identification number are 3288 and 4063 respectively. Due to the large number of debtor entities in these Chapter 11 Cases, a complete list of the Debtors and the last four digits of their federal tax identification numbers is not provided herein. A complete list of such information may be obtained on the website of the Debtors’ claims and noticing agent at <https://cases.ra.kroll.com/FTX>.

confidential client, together with a motion to file under seal on notice for a future hearing. A copy of the Revised Order compared against the proposed order attached to the Application is attached hereto as **Exhibit B**. The U.S. Trustee and the Committee have no objection to the entry of the Revised Order. In accordance with the Court's electronic order processing procedures, a clean copy of the Revised Order shall be uploaded to CM/ECF.

4. Accordingly, the Debtors respectfully request that the Court enter the Revised Order at its earliest convenience.

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